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Historical Society Conducts Reorganizational Meeting

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Carbondale — The Carbondale Historical Society recently conducted its annnul dinner meeting at Morrison's Banquet Hall where elections of officers were conducted, a board of trustees appointed, and committees formed for the upcoming year.

Joséph Pascoe began the evening with his opening remarks which highlighted the organization's future goals. This was followed by the invocation given by the Rev. Claude A. Pullis, pastor of the Berean Baptist Church.

Following the dinner meeting, nominations and elections were conducted. Elected as officers were: S. Robert Powell, president; Oliver R. Shifler, first vice president; David J. Baum, second vice president; Nan Daniels, secretary; and Howard Yepson, treasurer.

Members of the board of trustees are: David Adams, Dr. Thomas H. Coleman, Kenneth H. Colville Jr., Rosemary Heth, William Kaufman, Anne M. Muldoon, Joseph J. Pascoe, Kathryn Wood Shifler, Paul Starzer, Robert Vandenberg, and William Wallis.

Chairmen of committees are: Howard Yepson, budget and finances; Ann Rogalski and Elaine Starzer, house and reception; Nan Loftus, Jean Colville, and Gloria Wilson, membership; John V. Buberniak and Thomas F. Brennan, building and maintenance; Susan Stephens and Mary Lou Dearie, public relations; and S. Robert Powell, city hall restoration.

After the business meeting and election of officers, the benediction was given by the Rev. Charles Starzer, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church.

The next meeting of Carbondale Historical Society will be Thursday at City Hall's Council Chambers. Persons interested in joining the society may attend.